

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives

[OMB Number 1140-0032]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed eCollection eComments Requested;

Records of Acquisition and Disposition, Collectors of Firearms

AGENCY: Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives, Department of Justice

ACTION: 60-day notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Justice (DOJ), Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF), will submit the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

<u>DATES</u>: Comments are encouraged and will be accepted for 60 days until [<u>INSERT DATE 60</u>]

<u>DAYS AFTER DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER</u>].

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

If you have additional comments, particularly with respect to the estimated public burden or associated response time, have suggestions, need a copy of the proposed information collection instrument with instructions, or desire any additional information, please contact Rinell Lawrence, Firearms Industry Program Branch, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and

Explosives (ATF), either by mail at 99 New York Ave, NE, Washington, DC 20226, by email at fipb-informationcollection@atf.gov, or by telephone at 202-648-7190.

<u>SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION</u>: Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information are encouraged. Your comments should address one or more of the following four points:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Evaluate whether and if so how the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected can be enhanced; and
- Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

Overview of this information collection:

1 Type of Information Collection (check justification or form 83-I): Revision of a

currently approved collection.

2 The Title of the Form/Collection: Records of Acquisition and Disposition, Collectors

of Firearms.

3 The agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department

sponsoring the collection:

Form number (if applicable): None.

Component: Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives, U.S.

Department of Justice.

4 Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:

Primary: Individuals or households.

Other (if applicable): None.

Abstract: The recordkeeping requirement for this collection is primarily to facilitate

ATF's authority to inquire into the disposition of any firearm during the course of a

criminal investigation.

5 An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for

an average respondent to respond: An estimated 56,928 respondents will report once

annually for this collection, and it will take each respondent approximately 3 hours to

complete a report.

6 An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection: The

estimated annual public burden associated with this collection is 173,630 hours,

which is a reduction in the public burden.

If additional information is required contact: Jerri Murray, Department Clearance Officer,

United States Department of Justice, Justice Management Division, Policy and Planning Staff,

Two Constitution Square, 145 N Street NE, Room 3E-405B, Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: December 9, 2016.

Jerri Murray,

Department Clearance Officer for PRA,

U.S. Department of Justice.

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